

OLD ROUTE LIKELY FOR DEFENSE ROAD

New Highway to Annapolis Expected to Follow Former Stage Course.

Washingtonians and residents of Prince George county, Md., who attended the hearing on the proposed National Defense Highway between Annapolis and Washington yesterday, came away confident that the road will be constructed over the old stage route.

Joseph Addison, a Prince George's county attorney, said today that he was without doubt as to the impression made on the Maryland highway commission by the remarks of Oliver Metzerott, of this city, and others who urged the building of the highway over the old stage route instead of the Sheriff road route.

Addison pointed out how the State could save thousands of dollars in the construction of the roadway through the offer of Peter Campbell, president of the Church of the Sacred Heart, at Bowie, Md., and Vincent Gross, a prosperous farmer, to give enough gravel to build fifteen miles of the highway.

Mr. Metzerott was impressed with the appeal of Peter Campbell, president of the Maryland Senate, who told the highway commission that Maryland has the opportunity to show Congress how judiciously she can spend Federal money for roads, and that she can do it by selecting the old stage route.

THIEF STEALS POLICE TRAFFIC STANDARD

No Motive for Theft, Unless He Started Collection.

PROVIDENCE, Aug. 20.—While there are many instances occurring daily in the life of a policeman that have a funny as well as a serious side, nothing in police circles within the last month has caused a greater laugh and also a greater mystery than the larceny of a new traffic standard.

That the police department has been robbed would never have been known only for Capt. J. T. Maguire. He had to make a report because such property is entrusted to him, and so he did. He states, therefore, that "one new traffic standard has been stolen from Exchange place in front of the postoffice." The police have been looking for the standard in vain. They cannot even establish a motive for it, unless somebody who does not like the present rules is starting in to make a collection of traffic standards.

JAPANESE FIRED FIRST, SAYS PEKING REPORT

Details Given of Recent Clash of Soldiers in Northern China.

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—Japanese troops were the aggressors in the recent clash with Chinese forces in northern China, according to a Peking cablegram received by the Far Eastern Bureau.

Anticipating an attack by bandits, the Chinese authorities advised Japanese residents of Liao Yuen to leave. The Japanese refused. During a heated argument between Chinese soldiers and Japanese merchants, Japanese soldiers appeared and fired on the Chinese karibon.

The Chinese returned the fire, and about ten soldiers were killed or wounded on either side. The Japanese soldiers made the district magistrate and several prominent Chinese merchants prisoners.

Cardinal Farley Sees Need For Catholic Daily Paper

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—The need for a Catholic daily newspaper, printed in English in the United States, was dwelt upon by Cardinal John Farley, in an address here before the convention of the Catholic Press Association.

"We have not as yet such a publication, but I hope to live to see that day," the cardinal said.

INQUEST TOMORROW OVER MOTOR VICTIM

Blame to Be Fixed for Death of W. S. Cady.

An inquest over W. S. Cady, who died yesterday from injuries suffered when struck by an automobile in Fourteenth street near Pennsylvania avenue northwest, will be held tomorrow at 11:30 at the morgue.

C. Perry Miller, who was driving the automobile when the accident occurred, explained that as he turned the car into Fourteenth street from Pennsylvania avenue, he swerved to avoid striking an elderly man walking west across the street. Mr. Cady came into the path of the automobile as he was walking east across Fourteenth street.

Mr. Cady had been employed in the Treasury branch of the Government Printing Office for fifteen years. He is survived by his wife, four sons and one daughter.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday morning at St. Martin's Catholic Church.

Mr. Cady was a member of the Third Sunday Brigade of St. Aloysius' Church, St. Martin's Holy Name Society, and Catholic Knights of America. He belonged to Columbia Typographical Union, 101.

MOBS IN SOUTH HANG 2 WOMEN AND 4 MEN

Gainesville, Fla., Citizens Lynch Five Negroes, and Texas Party Another.

GAINESVILLE, Fla., Aug. 20.—Five negroes, two of them women, were moved forcibly from jail at Newberry, Fla., by a mob and hanged.

The lynching party resulted from the killing of a constable and the shooting of a doctor yesterday by negroes. The mob victims were alleged to have aided in the escape of Eulay Long, the negro who did the shooting.

RICE, Tex., Aug. 20.—Ed. Lang, twenty-one, negro cotton picker, was taken from the city jail by 200 farmers and hanged to a telephone pole. He attempted to assault Ruby Cole, seventeen, daughter of a farmer living north of here, a few hours earlier.

Lang crept up behind the girl as she was picking cotton near the house. He threw a sack over her head, but she wriggled loose and screamed. Laborers in an adjacent field ran to her assistance. The negro fled, but was captured about four miles from the scene of the attack.

Two hundred farmers, who made no attempt to conceal their identity, battered down the jail door, dragged the negro to the nearest telephone pole and strung him up.

Prefers Jail to Living On Husband's Farm

DENVER, Colo., Aug. 20.—Farm life may appeal to some folks, but jail life seems preferable to Mrs. Agnes C. Adams, twenty-five, who deserted her husband and four children, rather than stay longer on her husband's farm in Jefferson county.

Mrs. Adams, arrested by Humane Officer David, given the alternative of returning to the farm or facing a charge of deserting her children, she replied: "I won't go back."

"I love my husband, and my children, too," she told Police Matron Davis, "but I simply can't endure life on that farm any longer."

Editor Finds Young Wife Dead on Floor From Gas

FLUSHING, L. I., Aug. 20.—Returning to his new home, here, J. Bernard Walker, editor of the Scientific American, found his beautiful young wife dead on the kitchen floor with all of the gas jets turned on.

Mrs. Walker had been suffering from melancholia and in an effort to restore her to normal mentality by a change of scene, Walker had closed their home in Brooklyn and taken an estate in Flushing for the remainder of the summer.

Coroner Vogel decided that Mrs. Walker had committed suicide.

D. C. COST OF LIVING PROBE DEFEATED

Senator Gallinger Blocks Resolution Paving Way for Minimum Wage Legislation.

Senators Smith of Georgia and Sherrill of Colorado failed in an effort yesterday to have passed the Kenyon-Keating joint resolution providing for an inquiry into the cost of living in the District.

Senator Gallinger of New Hampshire objected to consideration of the resolution. It already has passed the House and has received a favorable report from the Senate Committee on Education and Labor. It is regarded as the forerunner of minimum wage legislation for the District.

Senator Williams of Mississippi, objected to consideration of the measure when it came up previously and Senator Stone of Missouri also has registered opposition to it.

Three Brothers Hear Each Others' Sermons

ELWOOD, Ind., Aug. 20.—For the first time in several years three brothers, all ministers, met here unexpectedly and spent the day together. They were W. T. Sellers, a representative of the Christian board of publication, in St. Louis; L. W. Sellers, of Indianapolis, secretary of the national temperance board of the Christian Church, and Robert Sellers, pastor of the Christian Church. It was the first opportunity all the brothers ever had to hear the others in the pulpit.

FEELS JUST LIKE WRITING BOOK TO SEND BROADCAST

"I'm So Grateful for Good DRECO Did Me I Can Hardly Hold Back Tears of Gratitude," She Says.

"If the people in this city realized what Dreco did for me, you'd sell 10,000 bottles here tomorrow," said Mrs. Daisy Jones, of 428 Sixth street northwest, recently.

"I had suffered for years," she continued, "and was just about as near a physical wreck as a person could be. But look at me now. I feel as well as I ever did in my life. I had trouble with my kidneys and stomach. I got to where I had to live on the very lightest food, and could eat very little of that. The pains in my stomach and back were awful. I was extremely nervous, and couldn't sleep, and was seldom free from headaches. I felt tired all the time, and was easily irritated and worried. I lost a great deal of flesh, and finally got so weak and run down I could hardly drag myself around. All the medicine I took seemed to make me worse instead of better, and I became so despondent I didn't care much whether I lived or died. This is the very shape I was in when I began taking Dreco."

"But now I can eat just anything I want, and everything agrees with me perfectly. Honestly, I wouldn't take all the money in Washington for the good Dreco did me. I have no more pains about my back or stomach, and am not nervous like I was, and sleep every night. I don't know what it is to have the headache now. All the tired, bad feelings have left me. I can now do my housework with a pleasure. Dreco has done me so much good, I can hardly keep back the tears of gratitude, and I feel like writing a book on Dreco and sending it broadcast, where it will reach those suffering as I did."

Dreco is sold at all the O'Donnell Drug Stores, Bury's, in Anacostia, Allen's, in Alexandria.—Adv.

A. Lisner



\$3.75 for this solid oak Windsor Chair, dull finish and saddle seat.



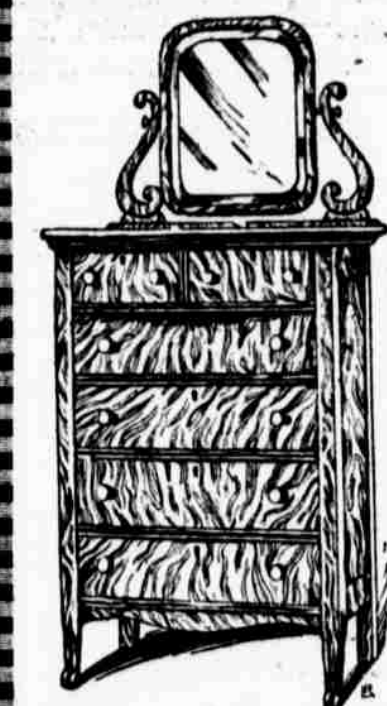
\$10.45 for this solid oak Dining Room Table, 42-inch top, extending to 6-ft. long.



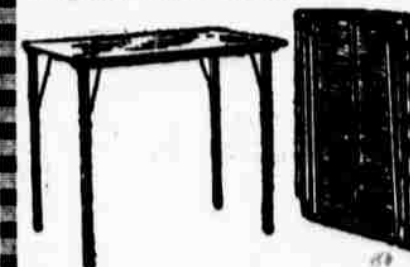
79c for this Golden Oak or Mahogany Finish Costumer, with six pegs. August sale price, 79c for choice.



Guaranteed Brass Bed, velvet finish, 4-inch ball at each corner and 10 1-inch fillers.



\$19.75 for this mahogany finish Chiffonier, size of top, 32x21 inches; size of glass, 20x16 inches.



\$1.29 for this Folding Table, mahogany finish, rubber tipped legs, can be used as card or cutting table.



\$9.98 for this \$16.00 Genuine Red Cedar Chest, 43 inches wide and 3/4 inch thick. Fitted with lock and key.

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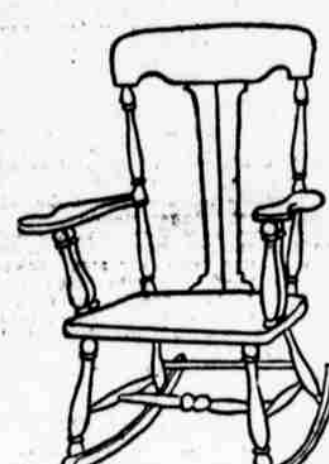
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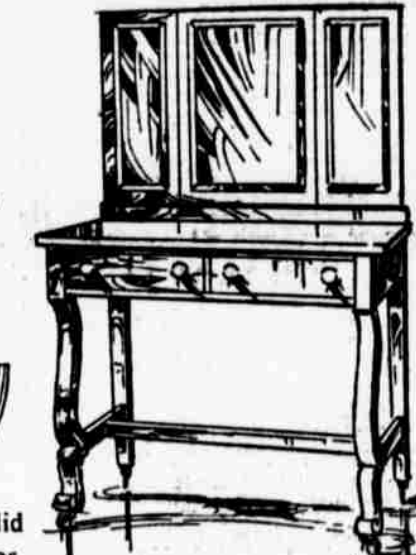
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Cold Meat Forks, each 50c

White and White Enamel Ware

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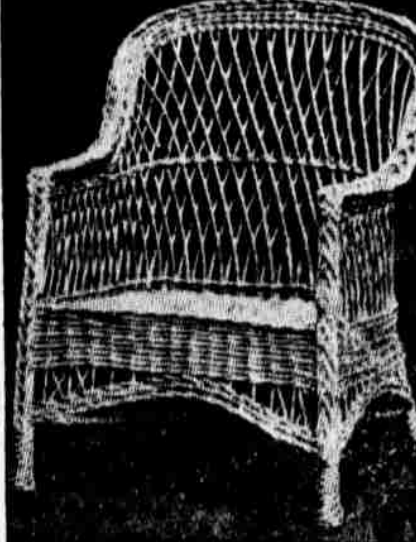
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